

Chairman  
Inter-American Commission  
on Human Rights  
Organization of American States  
Washington, D.C. 20006  
United States of America

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ARGENTINA PROJECT (S200000044)  
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Margaret P. Grafeld, Director  
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The undersigned

Name..... H. Bentley Glass  
Nationality..... USA  
Address..... Chairman, Committee on Scientific Freedom and Responsibility, Amer. Assoc.  
..... for the Advancement of Science  
..... wishes to communicate to  
the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights, for the purposes established  
in its Statute and Regulations, the following:  
Name of the person whose human rights have been violated..... Monica Maria.....  
..... Candelaria MIGNONE  
Address..... Calle Santa Fe 2949, Apartment 3A Buenos Aires, Argentina  
Description of the violation..... A group of armed men who identified themselves  
..... as members of the Argentine military forces entered the Mignone residence  
..... at 5 AM on May 14, 1976 and kidnapped Monica Mignone. The neighborhood  
..... at the time of the kidnapping was guarded by heavily armed men. The  
..... Mignone residence was not searched. No information on the whereabouts,  
..... charges against, or status of Monica Mignone can be obtained from the  
..... government.  
Place and date of the violation..... May 14, 1976 Buenos Aires  
Local authority who took cognizance of the act and the date on which this  
occurred..... Unknown  
Judge or court which took cognizance of the act and the date on which this  
occurred..... Unknown  
Final decision of the authority (if any) that acted in the matter.....  
..... Unknown  
In the case of it not being possible to have recourse to a local authority,  
judge or court, explain the reasons for such impossibility. The father of  
Monica Mignone, Dr. Emilio Mignone, has presented a writ of habeas corpus  
at the Argentine Federal Court and has filed a formal request at the  
Ministry of Interior for a determination of the location of Monica Mignone.  
Because of the current state of siege, the writ of habeas corpus has been  
suspended by the Argentine government.  
List the names and addresses of witnesses to the act (if any) or enclose  
the corresponding documents.....  
..... Open letter from the father of Monica Mignone, Dr. Emilio Mignone...  
..... letter to Chalk (2/4/77) from Nora Olave-Shibusawa  
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The undersigned should indicate whether he wishes his identity to be  
withheld. Not necessary to withhold identity  
Place and date..... Washington, D.C.  
Signature.....

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